

AMENDMENT OF SOLICITATION			1. ID CODE		PAGE OF PAGES 1 2	
2. AMENDMENT NO. 004		3. EFFECTIVE DATE	4. REQUISITION/PURCHASE REQ. NO.		5. PROJECT NO. (If applicable)	
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8. NAME AND ADDRESS OF RECIPIENT (No., street, county, State, and ZIP Code)					(✓)	9A. AMENDMENT OF SOLICITATION NO. DE-RP26-00FT40805
					X	9B. DATED (See Item 11) 7/17/00
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11. THIS ITEM ONLY APPLIES TO AMENDMENTS OF SOLICITATIONS

■ The above numbered solicitation is amended as set forth in Item 14. The hour and date specified for receipt of Applications ■ is extended, □ is not extended.

Applicants must acknowledge receipt of this amendment in accordance with Section III, Appticle C.1 F, Acknowledgment of Amendments.

(a) By completing Items 8 and 15, and returning 1 copy of the amendment; (b) By acknowledging receipt of this amendment on each copy of the application submitted; or (c) By separate letter or telegram which includes a reference to the solicitation and amendment numbers. FAILURE OF YOUR ACKNOWLEDGMENT TO BE RECEIVED AT THE PLACE DESIGNATED FOR THE RECEIPT OF APPLICATIONS PRIOR TO THE HOUR AND DATE SPECIFIED MAY RESULT IN REJECTION OF YOUR OFFER. If by virtue of this amendment you desire to change an application already submitted, such change may be made by telegram or letter, provided each telegram or letter makes reference to the solicitation and this amendment, and is received prior to the opening hour and date specified.

12. ACCOUNTING AND APPROPRIATION DATA (If required)

13. THIS ITEM APPLIES ONLY TO MODIFICATIONS OF INSTRUMENTS,
IT MODIFIES THE INSTRUMENT NO. AS DESCRIBED IN ITEM 14.

(✓)	A. THIS CHANGE ORDER IS ISSUED PURSUANT TO: (Specify authority) THE CHANGES SET FORTH IN ITEM 14 ARE MADE IN THE CONTRACT ORDER NO. IN ITEM 10A.
	B. THE ABOVE NUMBERED INSTRUMENT IS MODIFIED TO REFLECT THE ADMINISTRATIVE CHANGES (such as changes in paying office, appropriation date, etc.) SET FORTH IN ITEM 14.
	C. THIS SUPPLEMENTAL AGREEMENT IS ENTERED INTO PURSUANT TO AUTHORITY OF:
	D. OTHER (Specify type of modification and authority)

E. IMPORTANT: Recipient □ is not, □ is required to sign this document and return ___ copies to the issuing office.

14. DESCRIPTION OF AMENDMENT/MODIFICATION

(See the Attached)

Except as provided herein, all terms and conditions of the document referenced in Item 9A or 10A, as heretofore changed, remains unchanged and in full force and effect.

15A. NAME AND TITLE OF SIGNER (Type or print)		16A. NAME AND TITLE OF CONTRACTING OFFICER (Type or print) James Knudsen Contracting Officer	
15B. APPLICANT (Signature of person authorized to sign)	15C. DATE SIGNED	16B. UNITED STATES OF AMERICA Original signed by James Knudsen (Signature of Contracting Officer)	16C. DATE SIGNED 8-24-00

The purpose of amendment 004 is to (1) issue a revised solicitation incorporating numerous changes to Sections L, M and J: (2) establish a new date for receipt of proposals; and (3) provide a summary of the changes to the solicitation.

1) The attached solicitation, DE-RP26-00FT40805 Rev 1, dated August 24, 2000, replaces in its entirety previous solicitation DE-RP26-00FT40805. Points of clarification provided in earlier Amendments are still valid.

2) The date for receipt of proposals, as established in Section L.7, Time, Date and Place Proposals are Due, (Jan 2000) is September 11, 2000 at 4:00 p.m.

3) Following is a summary of changes reflected in Rev.1 of the solicitation. Offerors are advised to read the revision thoroughly, as the summary may not reflect all changes made.

- A. Throughout the solicitation, all references to "Program Manager" and "Project Manager" have been conformed to the single term "Contract Manager."
- B. Section L. 18, Preparation Instructions: Volume II Technical Proposal, has been revised to require the offeror to propose using its own labor categories and position descriptions. Please note that the position descriptions and labor category definitions required are not to be included in the twenty page maximum for the written technical submission.
- C. Section L.19, Proposal Preparation Instructions: Volume III - Cost Proposal has been revised to require the offeror to prepare cost exhibits using the staffing plan developed under L.18. Only the DPLH for each year has been provided as the Government's estimate. Cost exhibits in Section L, Appendix B, have been modified to reflect this approach.
- D. Section L.7, Time, Date and Place Proposals are Due has been modified to reflect a new due date of September 11, 2000 and to provide a physical address for delivery by other than U.S. mail.
- E. The positions descriptions provided in Amendment 001, are deleted and replaced in their entirety with the following::

The Contract Manager (position as described below) shall serve as the point of contact to the DOE along with the other responsibilities identified herein. A copy of the Contract Manager's resume shall be included to demonstrate that individual's qualifications to perform.

1. Contract Manager

This position is responsible for the implementation, management, planning, performance, and supervision of all assigned tasks under the SOW of the subject contract. Candidate should have a minimum of a four year degree in a related field (e.g. marketing, environmental sciences) and demonstrated experience in managing projects of similar scope and complexity. Experience with Government contracts highly desirable.

2. Other Positions

All other position descriptions/labor categories, determined by the Offeror to be necessary for successful performance of this contract, shall be consistent with those provided in the Offeror's comprehensive staffing plan (Ref L.18 above) and shall reflect the Offeror's standard labor classifications. The Offeror shall provide position descriptions for all labor categories utilized or contemplated. The additional pages required will not be considered part of the 20 page minimum requirement. Resumes of any additional key individuals identified as supplementing the management/technical team proposed by the Offeror shall be provided and their position in the organizational chart shall be noted.

- F. Section M has been revised to provide clarity to how the new approach will be evaluated. The relative weights of criteria have been changed slightly.